IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 10245 OF 2004

Pramod Sadashiv Thakar..... Petitioner.

Versus

State of Maharashtra & Anr.. .... Respondents.

Mr. R.K.Mendadkar for the Petitioner.

Mr. R.D.Rane,Addl.GP for the Respondents.

CORAM : DALVEER BHANDARI, C.J. &

S. A. BOBDE, J.

DATED : JANUARY 11, 2005.

P.C.:

Rule. By consent, Rule made returnable forthwith and taken up for hearing.

2. Mr. Rane, learned Addl. Government Pleader appears and waives service of Rule on behalf of the Respondents.

3. By the present petition, the Petitioner seeks directions to Respondent No.2, the Scheduled Tribe Certificate Scrutiny Committee to decide validity of his caste certificate dated 29th April, 1991. We

direct the Respondent No.2 to decide the same within two months from the date of receipt of this order after hearing the Petitioner and in accordance with law.

4. No further directions are necessary. Rule made absolute in the above terms. Writ Petition is, accordingly, disposed of.

Sd/-

CHIEF JUSTICE

Sd/-

S. A. BOBDE, J.